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| In re Application of: | § | |
| CASSIDY, ET AL. | § | Group Art Unit: 1797 |
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| FOR INHIBITING METAL | § | Atty. Docket No: 2002-IP-008502U1 |
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111 TO
NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION, MAILED JULY 18, 2008**

Dear Honorable Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action mailed on July 18, 2008 (the "Office Action"), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.